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In re U.S. Patent Application of **OZIN et al.**

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CRYSTALLINE COLLOIDAL PATTERNS ON SUBSTRATES**

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Examiner: **ALICIA ANN CHEVALIER**

Attorney Docket: **13786**

May 23, 2005

Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2005, the following is
submitted:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this response; and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this response.